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REPUBLICAN NOMINATIONS.

NATIONAL TICKET.

FOR PRESIDENT,
JAMES A. GARFIELD,

of Ohio.

FOR VICE PRESIDENT,
CHESTER A. ARTHUR,

of New York.

STATE TICKET.

FOR GOVERNOR,
SHELDY M. CULLOM,

of Sangamon, or Lieutenant Governor,

JOHN M. HAMILTON,

of McLean.

FOR SECRETARY OF STATE,
HENRY D. DEMENT,

of Lee.

FOR AUDITOR OF PUBLIC ACCOUNTS,
CHARLES P. SWIGERT,

of Kankakee.

FOR TREASURER,
EDWARD RUTZ,

of Cook.

FOR ATTORNEY GENERAL,
JAMES McCARTNEY,

of Wayne.

FOR CONGRESS—1st DISTRICT,
JOSEPH G. CANNON,

of Vermilion county.

FOR MEMBER OF THE STATE BOARD OF EQUALIZATION,
CHARLES F. ENEMY,

of Macon county.

FOR REPRESENTATIVES,
JASPER BODDERS, of Marion county.

FOR LEGISLATOR IN DECATUR COUNTY

COUNTY TICKET.

FOR CIRCUIT CLERK,
EDWARD MCCLELLANFOR STATE'S ATTORNEY,
WILLIAM C. JOHNS

FOR Sheriff.

WILLIAM W. FOSTER.

FOR CORoner.

JAMES HOLLINGER.

This report comes from Georgia that Senator B. H. Hill is suffering from a cancerous tumor on his tongue that threatens to terminate his career as a public speaker, if not his life, as there are doubts of a permanent removal of the tumor.

We regret to learn that Wade Hampton, that eminent Carolina Democrat, will not speak in Decatur during the present campaign. It had been hoped that he would make some speeches in Illinois, but the managers have recently decided that he can do more good for the party in localities where there are no newspapers.

"There have been men enough killed during the war to make a corduroy bridge from Macomb to Chicago, and the Democratic party is responsible for the war," said a speaker at Macomb, Ill., some years ago. We trust the Review will not grow red in the face with indignation when we remark that the speaker who made this grave charge against its party was Lyman Trumbull.

"In hoc signo vinces," is the motto of a certain Republican candidate for a local office—Reuter.

Isn't our neighbor a little off in his quotation, as well as in its application? Our understanding of the matter is that the speech was made in English, and was more like this, "Here, take this \$—bill, and don't be on hand when your name is called in court," and it was not a Republican candidate who said it, either.

"We should have the issues of the day discussed in a spirit of fairness," says the Review. So far as this paper is concerned we have endeavored to discuss the issues of the day in all fairness; we have time and again referred to the traditions of the Democratic party, to which it has pledged itself anew, but all the reply we have been able to get out of the Review has been the whining cry, "We are not copperheads, and if you say we are we'll try to get every Democrat in Macon county to quit threatening you." To be sure, it has varied the monotony by calling Garfield a thief and a purveyor, and by applying all the foul epithets it could find in the Democratic vocabulary to Republicans generally, but it can only squeal and whine when the infamous record of its own party is held up to view. It never attempts even a denial of the only charge we have made with reference to copperheadism—that the Democratic party was dominated by the copperhead element during the war—thus tacitly admitting that we are correct, but it's peculiar and characteristic way, while squirming under the lashings we have given its party, whimpers about patronage and threatens to make us suffer in pocket. It is but little wonder that the most intelligent and far-seeing members of the Democratic party in Decatur are disgusted with the shilly-shallying course of their organ, which they have vainly expected would discuss the issues of the day in a spirit of fairness."

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THE SAME EVERYWHERE.

The spirit which animates the Democratic press is the same everywhere. No material difference is discernible between the animus which governs the South Carolina scribbler and that which agitates the anatomy of his Illinois brother—the same proscriptive spirit is apparent in both. The former advises his readers something in this wise: "If you want a barber, employ a Democrat. If you want a blacksmith, hire a Democrat. If you want a lawyer, retain a Democrat," etc. The Decatur twin of the Palmetto state ink-slinger advises his readers to resolve and proclaim "I'll have no association or business with any man who thinks and says that I am a copperhead, and an enemy to my country." It would require a magnifying glass of infinite power to discover the difference between these twin representatives of the bulldozing class. Both have the chivalrous bravery which was bred in the atmosphere of slavery—that institution which brooked no interference, tolerated no criticism, and punished with social and commercial ostracism all who questioned its righteousness. It is not strange, then, that newspapers which subsist only upon the traditions that still survive that institution should endeavor to keep alive hostilities which have become a second nature to them. Complete regeneration is rather too much to expect in individuals so thoroughly imbued with the ideas of medieval civilization.

The exhibition of the bulldozing spirit which appears in the Review this morning will not in any way deter us from speaking our mind with reference to the Democratic party. We have always made it a rule not to carry politics into business affairs—a rule which prevails generally in the Northern states, and which has proven itself to be founded upon correct principles. All sensible people in this part of the Union observe this rule—be they Republicans or Democrats—the exceptions being only those who are better fitted by nature for residence in states where business is killed by political proscription. People who have sense enough to intelligently exercise the right of suffrage do not desire to transfer Southern methods and ideas to northern soil, and the bulldozing of the Review will doubtless learn that fact sometime, in spite of his native bourgeoisie. If any Democrat in Decatur feels that he cannot longer patronize the REPUBLICAN because it speaks out fearlessly on the subject of politics, we shall be sorry—for him. But we shall continue to speak out just the same. If Republicans get so mad at the Review on account of its Democracy that they must needs withdraw their patronage from that sheet, we shall feel sorry—for the Review. But we presume that paper will not change its policies on that account.

Our advice to our neighbor is to try to rise to that condition of political exaltation which he has never yet attained—that lofty eminence from which he can calmly survey the conflict and concede that those who are not on his side have a good right to contend for supremacy as have his own partisans, and with the same weapons, too.

In reply to a question by one of the audience as to the cause of the removal of Gen. Arthur as Collector of Customs at New York, Mr. Sherman said in his speech last night: "I have never said one word impugning Gen. Arthur's honor or integrity as a man and a gentleman, but he is not in harmony with the views of the Administration in the management of the Custom House. While I would not perhaps have recommended his nomination, yet I would vote for him for Vice President a million times before I would vote for Wm. H. English, with whom I served in Congress."

Gen. MARTIN, of Mississippi, has been making some Democratic speeches in Vermont, but after a few expressions like the following he was withdrawn by the Democratic managers:

We are charged with stealing the negro vote. Well, are we to blame for it? Those who gave the negro a vote forgot the Lord's Prayer, if they ever knew it, especially the clause which says: "Lead us not into temptation." They gave the right to vote to the negro. By so doing they gave to the South forty-six additional electoral votes and forty-six additional members of congress. Now, we were determined to get those electoral votes and those members of congress, and we got them. Are we to blame for it? The Republicans tempted us and we fell. Now that we have them, we propose to keep them.

We want your custom, and think we can offer you inducements if you will come and see us, which will be sufficient to satisfy you that our store is the best place in town to trade. Bargains are to be had every day this spring. BAKER & BAKER.

Fruit cans and everything for house-keeping at Ashby & Andrews' Aug. 28-d&wif.

HAVE YOU FORGOTTEN?

Douglas News.

Have you forgotten that every state which seceded from the Union had an overwhelming Democratic majority?

Have you forgotten that every state which tried to secede from the Union had a Democratic majority?

Have you forgotten that every state that refused to adopt the constitutional amendments had a Democratic majority?

Have you forgotten that only Democratic legislators bolted to break quo-runs and prevent the adoption of the constitutional amendments?

Have you forgotten that the Ohio democratic convention in 1861 sent greetings to the rebels of the South in arms and promised to give them aid? Have you forgotten that in 1862 distinguished Democrats of Indiana formed a treasonable society, known as the Knights of the Golden Circle, that this organization invited the rebels to invade Indiana and pledged to release the rebel prisoners at Indianapolis and other points North, and thus formed an army that should, after assassinating Gov. Morton, force Indiana out of the Union, and assail the Union armies on the field and crush them between two rebel columns?

Have you forgotten that in 1864 the democratic national convention at Chicago, declared the war a failure and demanded an armistice with the rebels?

Have you forgotten that in 1868 the democratic convention which gave 135 votes for Hancock, but finally nominated Seymour, declared that the constitutional amendments were unconstitutional, revolutionary and void?

Have you forgotten that General Hancock wrote a letter to Mr. Seymour, congratulating him on his nomination, and cordially endorsing the platform declaring the constitutional amendments revolutionary, null and void?

Have you forgotten that just as soon as the Democratic party got control of the lower House of Congress one of its first efforts was to have full pardon granted to Jeff Davis, and that republicans, under the lead of Blaine and Garfield defeated this effort?

Have you forgotten that as soon as the democrats got possession of the lower House of Congress millions of dollars of rebel claims against the government were filed, claiming pay for all sorts of property taken and used by Union armies, and that these claims were filed and are now awaiting action as soon as the democracy shall get full possession of the government?

Have you forgotten that as soon as the United States senate had a majority of Democrats they moved to have Fitz John Porter reinstated to the place from which he had been removed for his treason, and to have him given back pay from the date of his removal, amounting to many thousand dollars, and that the republicans of the senate, under lead of General Logan, squelched this effort for the present?

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Can you forget these things? Can you doubt that such a party, with such declarations and principles past and present is unfit to trust with the government; that if it gets power will undo all that was gained by the war, and will precipitate another war upon the country sooner or later?

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Aug. 27-dif.

PROF. MOSES COIT TYLER ON GARFIELD.

From a letter to the Chicago Tribune by Prof. Moses Coit Tyler.

I use no catch-words of partisanship when I say that I sincerely think that the success of the Democratic party in the present canvas would be a National disaster. That party has no title to our confidence, but every possible title to our distrust; and I feel that there are now too many great interests at stake—interests relating to the very integrity of the Nation, and to the prosperity and happiness of the people now and hereafter—for us to dare to take the risk of confiding all these things to a party with a record so abominable. Surely in private life we should not commit such folly. No sane merchant would be likely to appoint as the custodian of his goods and his safe-key a clerk who has been caught in the act of robbing his store and setting it on fire, at the same time discussing with his service the very clerk whose fidelity alone had prevented the attempted burglary and arson from being successful. Aside from all consideration of political principles which move me to desire the success of the Republican party this year, I admit that I am affected by one consideration of a personal character, namely, great admiration for General Garfield. I regard him as a man not only of great purity and firmness of character, but of real genius for statesmanship, and of genius trained by books and by experience. I doubt if America has ever had another statesman at once abler and more accomplished. It has often been a reproach upon our public system that it leads to the selection of second class men for the first-class offices. In the election of Mr. Garfield we are going to offer a brilliant contradiction to this statement.

Tribute to American Credit.

Pall Mall Gazette

The returns of the foreign trade of the United States up to June 30th are worth nothing. The total of exports and imports is the heaviest ever known. In round figures the exports were £167,000,000 and the imports £133,000,000, showing a balance to be paid to the United States of not less than £34,000,000. In the previous year the balance to be paid was over £25,000,000. This was chiefly met by sending home from Europe American securities. Thus the United States is rapidly altering that condition of things which at one time was thought to jeopardize her credit. The republic of the United States, like the French Republic, is holding an ever increasing proportion of the national debt in the hands of her own people. What is more, the total amount is being continually reduced. But it is worthy of observation that the increasing dependence of Europe upon American sources of supply must sooner or later almost drain this market of American securities. Everything, indeed, points to the conclusion that America in her own interest must shortly begin to take an increasing proportion of European goods in return for her food. The increase of the imports last year was no less than £40,000,000, and there is every reason to believe that this is no sudden spurt, but is continually reduced. But it is worthy of observation that the increasing dependence of Europe upon American securities must sooner or later almost drain this market of American securities. Everything, indeed, points to the conclusion that America in her own interest must shortly begin to take an increasing proportion of European goods in return for her food. The increase of the imports last year was no less than £40,000,000, and there is every reason to believe that this is no sudden spurt, but is continually reduced.

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Decatur, Ill., Aug. 18, 1880.

A. T. HILL, H. H. WOODCOCK, S. C. DAVIS, Committee.

Aug. 18—d&wif.

TUESDAY EVENING, AUGUST 21, 1890.

ANNOUNCEMENTS.

We are authorized to announce Dr. J. H. Axton of Marion, his candidacy for representative from the 1st congressional district, subject to the decision of the Democratic convention.

CITY DEPARTMENT.

Cards enough—162 pieces. Americas China, a full dinner set, for only \$18.00, at E. D. Bartholomew & Co.'s.

BAND concert to-night.

BAPTIST sociable to-night.

MANY "Freaks" Saturday evening.

A few lots on West Prairie street need filling up.

Look over Pratt's general stock before purchasing. Aug 20-d&wif

The boys' Garfield club will meet at the court house to-night, for business.

HORSES feed of all kinds at Niedermeyer's, on the mound.

THERE are fourteen prisoners languishing in the county jail.

PETER ULLRICH's new grocery store is a fixture. A good paying trade has already been secured.

The Illinois Central Railroad in the past twenty years, on a line of 348 miles has paid dividends to the amount of \$30,668,344.

The recent rains have made the ground north of Forsyth too wet to plow.

OKRAY, the chief of the Utes, is dead. Lo! the poor Indian. Make another mound, and fasten it down with heavy rocks.

For nice groceries, glass and queenware, go to E. B. Pratt's. Aug 20-d&wif

You are cordially invited to attend the Baptist sociable to be given at the church this evening. Go early. All will receive a hearty welcome.

SOON—
The grass will kinder lose its green.
And turnip tops will fade.
And every fly will think his legs
For croquet stakes were made.

MILAN's bread is always fresh and pure and sweet. 14-d&f

Visit the Adventist camp at the fair grounds this week. Something interesting will be going on every day; but Sunday next will be the big day. Admission free, and all well-disposed persons are invited.

TRY one of Will J. Ferguson's large train Fluid Stoves. They are the best in the city. 14-d&f

ST. JULIEN made the unparalleled record of 2:11 at Hartford on Friday in a trot against his 2:11 record made by him and Maud S. He made the quarter in 324, and the half in 1:05.

A new piece of music entitled "The Musicians' Strike," will be the closing selection by the Band at the park concert this evening. Hear the "Moosick."

THE August number of Stapp's Chapel Herald was issued from this office on yesterday. The issue of this number has been unavoidably delayed several days on account of the absence of the editor, Rev. G. W. Miller, in the east.

SAKED, sawed, and split or four-foot wood, delivered on short notice from Pratt's wood yard, 37 North Church street. Aug 20-d&wif

YOUTH men, strangers, and the public in general, are invited to attend the young men's meeting at the Y. M. C. A. room this evening, at 7:30 o'clock. All members are urged to attend the services of the association. Ladies are not excluded from the devotional exercises.

For a few days longer all summer goods at cost, to make room for fall goods now coming in, at the sign of the Big Boot upside down, P. O. Block.

Aug 27-d&f C. W. CHALLIE

The earnings of the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific railroad for the week ending August 28, were \$321,182.89—an increase over the corresponding week of last year of \$129,566.00. The earnings from August 1st to the 23d, were \$850,884.81—an increase, \$210,489.29. Earnings from January 1 to August 23, \$7,235,973.86—an increase, \$2,880,448.

Pink Glasses and Parlor suits for sale by Ashby & Andrews. 14-d&wif

An ounce of prevention is worth a pound of cure. One bottle of Dr. Marshall's Bromoline is worth ten of other liver medicines. Try it. Sold by Decatur druggists. 14-d&wif

New Fall and Winter Goods arriving daily at C. W. Challie's shoe store, P. O. Block. We are bound to sell goods if low prices and good goods will do it.

Aug 27-d&f

DECATOR omnibus and carriage line to and from the depot, and to any part of the city. Orders left at the St. Nicholas Hotel will receive prompt attention day and night. PETER LAUN

Aug 29-Elbowe
If you want good bread buy at Nathan's bakery. 24-d&f

EVERY MILLEN's new process bread has no superior. 24-d&f

Our first department of Carriages, Phaetons, trap and open Buggies, and Spring Wagons, of all kinds, ever brought to this market, are now in store at the implement house of V. H. Parker. They are, A. No. 1, and warranted. No shyster work—good honest goods, at a fair price. Persons wanting anything in this line are invited to call. V. H. PARKER.

North of the First House. July 11-d&f

Book-cases and Secretaries, at Ashby & Andrews'. 14-d&wif

A young bibulous Dane, named Lois Engelbreth, with an unconquerable love for American beer, fell among the light-fingered gentrified while in Decatur on yesterday afternoon, and now mourns the loss of a nickel-plated watch, which he lost at \$7 in gold, greenbacks or silver. He had his watch in his vest pocket when he commenced throwing dice on a saloon counter for the drinks, and when he got through his time-piece was no where to be found. Lois works on a farm near Manganon Station. He can't imagine who robbed him. It was the slickest kind of a trick, and the young Dane is extremely anxious to be introduced to the thief. Lois may be a good farmer, but it won't do him, or anybody else, to become too familiar with Decatur beer. It will drown the best of 'em if they drink enough of it. The best way to beat beer, or any other intoxicating beverage, is to let it alone. Then there would be no a-loons and the business would die out for want of patronage.

ALFRED JONES, aged 23 years, a gallant young farmer, of Lake City, and Miss Anna Lancaster, aged 17 years, a fair maiden of the same village, came to Decatur on yesterday, and this forenoon they were united in marriage by Rev. B. Curtis, Justice of the Peace. The bride wore a dove-colored dress trimmed with lace, a black straw hat trimmed with artificial flowers and covered with a flowing white veil. She also wore tight-fitting lace thread gloves, and carried a flaming red fan, the edges of which were trimmed with silver. The bride had obtained the consent of her father to the marriage, and left the Justice's office seemingly perfectly happy.

Last night the comfortable home of Mr. and Mrs. James Hollinger, on South Main street, was the scene of a very pleasant social party, given in honor of Miss Helen Lathcum and Mr. Theodore Jones, both of Chicago, who are here on a visit and are guests of the Hollinger family. There were about 12 couples present on this delightful occasion. The social features of the evening were games, music and lively conversation. A sumptuous repast was served at a reasonable hour, and some time afterward the company retired, all praising the hospitality of the next Republican coroner of Macon county and his good wife.

A. T. Hill, R. H. Woodcock and S. C. Davis, the committee on public buildings for the Macon county board of supervisors, give notice in to-day's issue that they will receive sealed proposals for putting up an addition to the Macon county poor house, to be used for the care and confinement of insane paupers. All bids must be in the hands of the committee on or before Sept. 13th, 1890, at 4 p.m., when they will be opened. The plans and specifications may be seen at the Decatur National Bank.

LET everybody, who can, attend the Republican picnic and basket meeting at Corinthian's Grove, one mile east of Elwin, in Wheatland town-hip, to-morrow. Take your wife and children and stay all day. It is a pleasant drive of only seven miles from Decatur. The speaking will commence at 10 a.m. Hon. J. G. Cannon and others will be present.

THERE will be a great public sale of city lots at the west door of the court house on Friday, Sept. 10th, at 2 p.m. The lots are in Waggoner & Murphy's Addition, and are located on the old show grounds, on North Main street. See notice in another column of this issue.

The Wabash company for several weeks have been engaged in building a double track between Danville and Tilton, a distance of one mile. The grading was completed to-day and the rails will be put down next week.

Wanted. A number of experienced sewing machine operatives and new beginners. Also good button-hole workers. Apply immediately at the Decatur Shirt Factory, over Leiby Bros. bakery. Aug 31-d.

HENRY HARRIS.

Have returned from Chicago, where they have purchased a complete stock of new millinery goods, ladies' furnishings, including all the latest obtainable novelties in the market. These goods will be placed on the shelves and ready for inspection by Saturday morning, Sept. 4th, when the new establishment, at No. 28 East Main street, will be opened for business. All are most cordially invited to call and see the new stock.

P. S.—The firm has engaged one of the best milliners in the city of Chicago, who will have control of the millinery department. 30-d&wif

Attention, Co. K., I. N. G. There will be a special meeting of this company on Tuesday evening, August 31, at 8 o'clock, sharp. Business of importance to be transacted.

By order of Captain C. M. Durfee.

N. BAKER, O. S.

Lost. Somewhere in the city an ice hook, made out of old files. Leave it at Mick's cigar store. 28-d&f

For Rent. The John Smith property, on Macon street. Apply to John A. Brown. 28-d&f

First of the Season. Lace Ties, Lace Handkerchiefs, Lace Bibs and Collars, in large quantities and splendidly assorted, just in. See them. 30-d&wif CHEAP STORE.

REFRIGERATORS, all sorts and prices, at Ashby & Andrews'. 14-d&f

Gargains. We have bought and just received a job lot of Fichus, as handsome as they can be. We bought them very low, and offer them at about half the original value. 30-d&wif CHEAP STORE.

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PRIZE drugs, medicines, paints, oils, etc., at bottom prices at the Morgan street Drug Store. June 8-d&f

A QUARREL SIFTED.

The Row Between Two Country Neighbors Vindicated Before Justice Curtis.

On the 19th instant Ezekiel C. Howell made a complaint against his neighbor, A. C. Woody, that the said Woody on the day before had unlawfully and maliciously threatened to kill and take the life of the complainant Howell, using the expression that "he would either kill Howell or Howell should kill him," and also used this threatening language: "I will take your life." The quarrel occurred in front of Woody's house 4½ miles east of Decatur on the evening of the 18th, and from all that can be learned resulted from a disclosure made some months ago, at which time it was learned that Woody's daughter was in an interesting condition, it having then and since been charged that Howell was the seducer of said girl. Woody and Howell have been feeling bitterly toward each other, and naturally enough quarrels ensued.

Wood was tried before Justice Curtis to-day on the charge of threatening to kill Howell, as above stated. B. I. Sterrett appeared on behalf of the People, and Harvey Pasco for the defendant. The witnesses for the People were E. C. Howell and Samuel Weitell; for the defendant, A. C. Woody and his son. Briefly, the opposing witnesses contradicted each other on material points, the defendant, however, admitting that he had had frequent jawing matches with the complainant, because he believes that Howell is the father of his daughter's bastard child, and that Howell ought to contribute something to support the little now comer.

After hearing all the evidence and listening to the mild but forcible speech of Mr. Sterrett, and the ear-splitting argument of Mr. Pasco, the justice discharged the defendant, Woody, not considering the evidence sufficiently clinching to warrant his being held to await the action of the grand jury.

A Grand Change To-morrow.

Agent Harwood requests us to inform the business men of Decatur and our readers generally, that the formal transfer of the freight and passenger business of the C. H. & W. Ry Co. to the Wabash, St. Louis and Pacific Ry company will not take place until Wednesday, Sept. 1st, after the departure of the 3 p.m. train on the former road for Champaign. Therefore all parties having any freight to be sent over that line should deliver the same at the C. H. & W. depot until 2 or 3 p.m. to-morrow, after which hour all freight and passenger business will be transferred to the office of the Wabash company, and be under the general management of Agent Harwood. To-day workmen are engaged in putting down a temporary track leading from the conjunction of the C. H. & W. and Illinois Central roads at the street one block north of the Union depot, and connecting with the Wabash "Perry" track east of Morgan street. Until other arrangements can be made trains will be run as heretofore over the old C. H. & W. line from Decatur to Monticello, and no doubt this far as northeast as Monticello will eventually constitute a part of the Chicago Division of the Wabash system of roads. This is the general understanding at present, but when this departure will become an accomplished fact is unknown.

"Freaks"—First of the Season.

The New York Criterion Comedy Company will play in the opera house on Saturday evening, Sept. 4th. This company only, produces the great original comedy of "Freaks." It is highly eulogized by the press in whatever locality it makes its appearance. The play throughout is one continued system of systematical acting, and is full of absurd situations and ridiculous climaxes, which are rendered in a most admirable manner, and never fails to provoke an almost incessant outburst of hilarity and exquisite enjoyment. The appearance of this perfect light comedy company will be a rare treat, and deserves to be patronized largely. Says the New York World: "As one of the announced objects of the Criterion Comedy Company is to make all the characters in the play equal, doing away with the star system, it may well be said at first that every part is filled well and that the company is evenly balanced."

Admission, 35 cents; reserved seats, 55 cents; on sale Thursday morning at Otto E. Curtis & Co.'s.

Late Real Estate Sales.

Deeds filed for record since our last report.

Peddecord & Burrows to Johann Kresin; warranty deed for lot 10 and south half of lot 11, in block 5, in P. & B.'s add. to Decatur—\$600.

Eli Ulery to Melinda Wilson; warranty deed for 6 acres in sec. 11, tp. 15, range 2 east—\$600.

Jerome R. Gorin to David Blalock; warranty deed for 40 acres in sec. 7, tp. 15, range 3 east—\$1600.

Same to Purcell S. Outten; warranty deed for 110 acres of land near the town of Mt. Zion—\$6,000.

E. B. PRATT. 21-110w1

HORSES WANTED.

E. B. Pratt will buy horses at his place of business, 37 North Church street, Decatur, Ill., from August 24th to Sept. 4th, 1890, of the following description: (Good sound single drivers preferred), matched, carriage and draft horses, from five to nine years old, weighing from 900 to 1,400 pounds.

E. B. PRATT.

For Rent.

Large brick store room, corner Water street and the Wabash Railway; also, sleeping room above.

Aug. 23-110w1 ARTHUR E. KINNEY.

For Sale.

A very desirable bakery, with good trade, in the business part of the city. Enquire at this office. Cincinnati Bakery.

Aug. 27-d&w1

For Sale.

A good milk cow. Enquire of C. Creator, at Haworth's Check Rower Manufacturing Co.

Wanted.

Apprentice girls wanted to learn the millinery business. Inquire at No. 28 East Main street, one door west of Close, Griswold & Co.'s. Aug 29-d&f

Gargains.

We have bought and just received a job lot of Fichus, as handsome as they can be. We bought them very low, and offer them at about half the original value. 30-d&wif CHEAP STORE.

PRICES:

35, 50 and 75 Cents.

Sale of Seats commences Thursday, Sept. 2d, at Curtis' Jewelry store.

LINN & SCRUGGS.

PERSONAL POINTS.

W. B. Chambers has gone to Ohio, and will be absent several days.

Mrs. Rev. Joseph De Forest, daughter of Mr. W. H. Linn, has returned to her home at La Crosse, Wis.

Rev. I. S. Richmond will deliver a discourse in the Church of God Chapel next Sabbath evening. Subject, "The Enormity of the Whisky Traffic."

Miss Addie Nichols, daughter of the editor of the Bloomington Leader, is in the city, the guest of the Misses Mamie and Nellie Hendricks.

Uncle Billy Montgomery, whose dangerous illness we noted last week, we are pleased to state, is recovering. He was able to move about the house on yesterday.

State Auditor Thos. Needles, of Springfield, was in the city on yesterday for a few hours, having come thus far to meet his family on their return from a protracted pleasure trip in the east.

Isaac Shellabarger and family who have been in Minnesota since June 24, returned home last evening. They have visited all the attractive pleasure resorts in Minnesota and feel considerably benefitted by their 67 days trip.

W. R. Abbott, the jeweler, and family, have taken possession of the old Haworth residence property, on the southwest corner of West North and Edward streets. The dwelling has been fitted up in splendid style, and is one of the cosiest homes in Decatur.

COMING, ENTIRE, AND UNDIVIDED.

P. T. BARNUM'S OWN AND ONLY GREATEST SHOW ON EARTH!

Dwarfing all Previous Shows! Exhibiting Everything Advertised!

Every Hood, Horse, Horn and Feather! Every Performer, Every Act, Every Animal, Chariot, and Everything Else Exhibited in New York, Boston, Brooklyn, Philadelphia, Chicago, and all the cities, towns and villages of the East Will be Exhibited at

DECATOR, THURSDAY, SEPT. 9th, AFTERNOON AND EVENING.



See the World the high search oceans depths
Cleaves the Atlantic air
Climbs mountains high, sweeps
The vaulted grottoes of the sun
Yet you shall never meet a man
Who has not seen the world as this

P. T. BARNUM'S
OWN AND ONLY
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For the news is it true with its best New York
trees in every, do you not? His show, which has
done more than any other, and more, and more,
Educated an audience of up to 100,000 persons
and combined in one vast scene to be seen by
the entire world, was presented to the public
and the world's admiration, and the entire world
was delighted to see the great and the
wonderful. It is safe to say that no one
will ever rival it or even approach it.

WHEN BARNUM COMES!

you may see the most famous and accomplished
lady riders in the world, including



MADAM DOCKRILL
In her thrilling act in four and six times back to her
MADAM MARTHA From Berlin In her
Double Menage Act Miss Emma Lake American
Slide Girl, Madam Martina, Madam Norgard, and others
When Barnum comes you will see a miniature of
80,000 curiosities including the Mackey Band &
Lady Dressed in Glass, Ostrich the Great Little
Queen and the Devil

WHEN BARNUM'S GREATEST SHOW ON

YOU WILL SEE HIS



When Barnum Comes
You will see the Beautiful Performing Star

LANDSEER!



When Barnum Comes
You will see



COSTENTENUS, THE TATTOOED GREEK!
Wonderful Automata, and thousands of objects
of wonder, amusement and instruction that can
not be repeated in advertising

When Barnum Comes
You will see at 9 o'clock a.m. in the Grand Tent
street, land and children, passing through the
principal entrance of the city.



ZAZEL in Her Great Aerial Dive!

Being shot from a Cannon to the topmost height of the large pavilion from which

she dives head foremost through the air nearly one hundred feet.

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